## CLAIMS DAMAGES FOR LOSS OF MAP

Virginia Woman Says She Is Real Discoverer of North Pole.

COOK AND PEARY NOT IN IT

Wants Government to Pay \$25,000 for Misplacing Valuable Chart.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
CUMBERGAND, VA., November 10.—
Mme. Elise Preiner, a resident of Cumberland county, though French born and a graduate of a French academy, under affidavit duly attested before William M. Smith, a notary public for Cumberland county, authorizes the French ambassador to enter suit in her behalf against the government of the United States in the sum of \$25,000 for the alleged loss of a map of the skies which she claims discloses the position of the gibbe and the pointing of the poles, and consequently the location of the North Pole, the honor of the discovery of which was apparently passed from her through the activity of Dr. Cook and Lieutenant Peary. She claims to be the real discoverer of the North Pole, although she has never traveled through the frozen north, and knows nothing of the condition attendant upon Arctic exploration.

Mme. Pfeiffer, in her affidavit, a copy of which is now in the hands of Washington officials, says that the knowledge of the movement which defines the position of the globe, a knowledge

ington officials, says that the knowledge of the movement which defines the position of the globe, a knowledge which has been lost to the world for 2,500 years, although known to the ancients, was rediscovered by her in 1902, after a lifetime of study and investigation. On the following year she had her instrument, embodying her discoveries, copyrighted. Two years later she filed with the Naval Observatory in Washington, for the benefit of Arctic explorers and the world at large, a map of the skles, showing the pointing of the poles from the position of the globe. It is this map, which she claims is the only possible data upon which the pole could have been reached and its exact position identified, which is now apparently lost.

Ryan, another slander proceeding, will



# WANTS TO SERVE MORSE CASE GOES ENTIRE COUNTRY TOSUPREMECOURT

Aldrich Denies That His Efforts Petition for Writ of Certiorari to

cated women scientifically in the world. Mme, Curle, it will be recalled, who, discovered radium, was a French woman.

Suffers from Bised Polson.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORFQLK, VA, November 10.—E M. Davies, head chemist for the Mathewson Alkall Works at Saltville, was brought here this evening on a special train and placed in a local hospital for treatment for blood poisoning, following injuries in an automobile accident several weeks ago. It was said tonight that his chances for recovery are sellm.

Loses Sult for Damages.

WOODSTOCK, VA., November 10.—The slander suit of Rosenberger vs Keller, in the Circuit Court, to-day resculted in a verdict for the defendant. The plaintiff asked for damages, alleging that Keller called him a chicken.

To-morrow the case of Hebley vs. Ryan, another slander proceeding, will be tried.

Question of Consolidation of Cities Now Up to Portsmouth.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
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NORFQLK, VA, November 10.—The ordinance providing for the consolidation in sense gined at once by Mayor James G. Riddick in train and placed in a local hospital for treatment for blood poisoning, follow.

The matter will at once be resented to the consolidation in some quarters to the Council and business bodies of Portsmouth for action. It is proposed to present the matter in detail to the body, and finally, it is believed, submit to avote of the registered voters.

Although opposition has developed to the consolidation in some quarters of Portsmouth, it is believed this can be overcome and the plans for consolidation.

To-morrow the case of Hebley vs. Ryan, another slander proceeding, will be tried. toward this end. They do not believe there will be serious opposition.

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Forecast: Virginia—Fair, warmer Thursday; Friday fair; warmer near the coast; moderate cast to south winds.

North Carolina—Fair Thursday warmer in the interior; Friday fair; warmer in cast portion; moderate cast to southeast winds.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC.

November 11, 1909.

Sun rises..., 6:46 HIGH TIDE.

Sun sets..., 5:92 Morning..., 3:41,

Moon rises., 5:23 Evening..., 3:56

## ELIOT ADDRESSES STUDENTS OF UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

Gives First of Three Lectures Under Barbour-Page Foundation,

CAPITAL AND TRADES UNIONS

Harvard Ex-President Discusses Conflict Between Collectivism and Individualism.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., November 10.—Before a large audience in Cabell Hall, at the University of Virginia, to-night Dr. Charles W. Ellot, president emeritus of Harvard University, delivered the first lecture of a series under the Barbour-Page Lecture

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Dr. Ellot's Subject.

The general subject of Dr. Ellot's series of lectures is "The Conflict Between Collectivism and Individualism in a Democracy." To-night he discussed the "Conflict in Industries." Profound learning was no handleap to the speaker's wit, or to his ability to make a difficult subject entertaining as well as instructive, To-morrow night Dr. Ellot will discuss the "Conflict in Educational and Social Life," and Friday evening. "In Government."

Dr. Ellot has made probably the deepest study of civil government, and particularly of government by commission, as exemplified by the Galveston plan, of any man in public life today. And his subject is an especially popular and timely one in view of the agitation on expansion of Federal power now being waged. Dr. Ellot is in the sunset of his career, and in these lectures he gives the crystalized ideas of a long and useful life.

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Dr. and Mrs. Ellot are the guests of President and Mrs. Alderman while at the university. Dr. Ellot will be given an informal smoker at the Colonnade Club to-morrow afternoon, in which the president and faculty will be the hosts.



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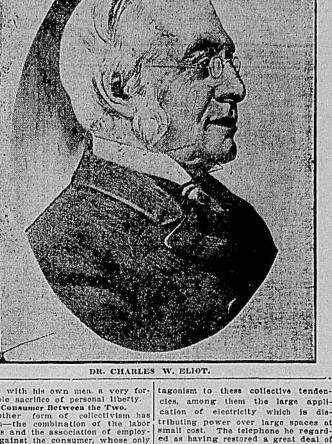
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TOSUPRENECTION

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Petition for Writ of Certiorari to Have Judgment Reviewed Is Filed.

WASHINGTON, D. C. November 10—A petition for a writ of certiorari to have the Supreme Court of the United States review the judgment of the Circuit Court of Appeals in New York in the case of Charles W. Morse, the "Ice King," convicted of misapplication of the funds of the King," convicted of misapplication of the funds of the King," convicted of misapplication of the Markets, became supreme. There was not, as in England, a certainty that the higher tribunal by Martin W. Littleton, counsel for Mr. Nores.

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Mary Thompson, and is a moulder by trade.

In Police Court.

Mayor Maurice dismissed yesterday morning the case of Edward Clarke, white, charged with cursing and abusing Jacob Schopp, also white. It seems that the case was settled out of court at Mr. Schopp's request, the warrant being withdrawn.

Sportsmen around this city have not had such keen sport during the early days of the hunting season on account of the long drought, which actually prevents the use of dogs in the fields.

Council Committees Out.

The Special Council Committee on Elections met last night at 7:45 o'clock in the Council chamber in order to wind up some unfinished business.

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To-morrow night at \$ o'clock the City Assembly will convene in the Council chamber.

Attending Conference.

Several of the Manchester ministers wint yesterday morning to Newport News to attend the one hundred and twenty-seventh annual conference of the Virginia Methodist Episcopal Church, South, which opened in the shipbuilding city yesterday, with 300 delegates in attendance. The conference represents a membership of 105,000, with 785 churches, valued at \$2,665,119.

The Methodist churches in this city will all have splendid reports to make to this conference and most of them will show the present conference year to have been one of the most gralifying for many years.

Married Last Night.

W. Marion Knowles, 2408 Hull Street, and Miss Mamie Gothwold, 526 Louisian Street, Fulton, were married lasting that 9180 o'clock at the parsonage of the Weatherford Memorial Baptist Church, the Rev. B. D. Thames officiating.

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Rev. G. T. Lumpkin is conducting the revival services being held this veek at the Bainbridge Street Baptist Church. Miss, Mattle L. Ellingtonsang last night.

The Ladies' Ald Society of Mount Hermon Church. Moseley's Junction, was entertained in the home of J. A. Stratton, of Chesterfield, last Friday svening. After the regular business

CONFESSION NOT ADMITTED

Tisual Legal Rules Will Govern Trial of

CHCAGO, ILL. November 10—
When the Judges committee investigate the Judges committee investigate here to-day commissioners. Acting the Judges committee investigate denfession, signed by Nicholas
J. Martin, relative to alleged tampering with Jury drawings by the commissioners. Martin is the private secretary of Alderman Michael Kenna, of
the First Ward, and is now under indictiment with Jury Commissioners
John J. Holand and W. J. Rayburn
for compileity in alleged illegal drawing of grand and petit Juries.

Judges Barns, Honora and Rhaled
that the Will Beneforth be
governed by the usual legal rules in
the presentation of evidence. The
judges refused to regard the alleged
confession as evidence, and declined to
permit it to be read.

The prosecutor asserts that Martin
admitted that he had agreed to furnish
Rayburn with a list of names of men
who would be amenable to outside influence should they be called as jurors
of accepting money from improper persons for protection purposes.

The judges gave State's Attorney
Wayman permission to file the alleged
confession, but would not allow him
to read it as evidence. The State's
attorney then witherew the document
and declared his case closed,

When the hearing is resumed next
Wednesday the judges will inspect the
office of the jury commissioners and
the commission of marking the proper prosons for protection purposes.

KINGSTON IS CUT OFF

Severe Storm Sweeps Island and Dekingston, JAMAICA, November 10,
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ble communication with the West Indies during the past few days. Although a message from Kingston, Jamaica, reporting a disastrous windstorm and food on the island got through by a circuitous route to-day, officials of the Commercial Cable Company say that such a storm would not likely to affect seriously the under-water lines of cable. For this reason it is believed that something unusual has happened to the something unusual has happened to the ocean's bottom,

YOUTH SHOOTS COMPANION.

Fatal Accident on Hunting Trip of
Sixteen-Year-Old Hoys.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., November
10.—Joseph, the sixteen-year-old son
of Frank Pritchard, of Berea section
of this county, was accidentally shot
and killed here yesterday afternoon by
Adolphus, the sixteen-year-old son of
J. H. Pasterfield, of this city.

The two boys were out gunning near
the baseball park, and from Pasterfield's account he was standing on the
turf just in the act of shooting a bird,
when his foot slipped, discharging the
entire contents of the double-barreled
shotgun into the body of young Pritchard, killing him instantly.

Pasterfield went home and told his
parents that Pritchard, his guest and
companion, had left home earlier and
that he did not know where he had
gone. Not until 3 c'clock last night
did his parents persuade him to state
the whereabouts of his companion, and
upon search the lifeless body of young
Pritchard was found where it had lain
for four or five hours. for four or five hours.

Little Girl Falls From Swing Little Girl Falls From Swing.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NEW CHURCH, VA., November 9.—
Little Mary Harper, of Laurel, daughofer of william Harper, a farmer, fell from a high swing while attending a school party and received what affer thought to be fatal injuries. Her right thigh was badly crushed and the right arm broken. Her companion in the swing. James Burton, aged nine, held on to the broken rope until rescued.

Carter-Fleming,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LEESBURG, VA. November 10.—
Miss Frances Lee Fleming, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bland Lee
Fleming, of The Plains, Fauquier county, and Samuel Henley Carter, of Fauquier county, were married on Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The ceremony was performed at Greenmont,
the home of the bride's parents, near
that place.

### A PROMINENT CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS IN THE FOURTH DISTRICT

Mr. Wm. B. Cocke, of Sussex County, Enters the Race With a Determination to Win.



Severe Storm Sweeps Island and Destroys Land Lines.

KINGSTON, JAMAICA, November 10.
—All of the land lines are cown as a result of a storm that has swept this section. Communication with the interior and neighboring islands is impossible. Floods followed the windstorm, and floods continue unabated.

An Under-Sea Disturbance.

NEW YORK. November 10.—Some violent under-sea disturbance, possibly an earthquake, is believed to have been responsible for the interruption of carting the has taken an active part in the battles of Democracy in every campaign since he became a voter. He has been called upon to serve as chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of his county and delegate to many district and State conventions, and in 1908 was elected presidential elector and canvoid best subserve the interests of his district.

He is a man of great faith and persistency, and loves a place on the firing line.

line.

He is in the fight to a finish, and his friends believe he will win the nomination in the coming Democratic orl-